

# **Single Stream Recyclables**

## **SPECIFICATIONS**

**Commingled Recyclables**, consisting of recyclable glass, aluminum, cans, plastics and papers, generally collected from residential recycling, as follows:

**Materials Accepted:**

Aluminum food and beverage containers  
Glass food and beverage containers – brown, clear, or green  
Ferrous (Iron) cans  
PET plastic containers with the symbol #1 – narrow neck containers only  
HDPE natural plastic containers with the symbol #2 – narrow neck containers only (milk and water bottles)  
HDPE pigmented plastic containers with the symbol #2 – narrow neck containers only (detergent, shampoo, bleach bottles, etc. without caps)  
Plastics with symbols #3, #4, #5, #6, #7-narrow and screw top containers  
Newsprint  
Old corrugated cardboard  
Magazines  
Catalogs  
Cereal boxes  
Telephone books  
Printer paper  
Copier paper  
Mail  
All other office paper without wax liners

**Materials Not Accepted, include but are not limited to:**

Microwave trays  
Mirrors  
Window or auto glass  
Light Bulbs  
Ceramics  
Porcelain  
Plastics unnumbered  
Plastic bags  
Coat hangers  
Glass cookware/bakeware  
Household items such as cooking pots, toasters, etc.

All glass containers must be empty and free of metal caps and rings and contain less than 5% food debris.

All tin cans, bi-metal cans, and aluminum cans must be empty and contain less than 5% food debris.

All aerosol cans must be empty with less than 5% content

All plastic containers must be empty, caps removed; less than 5% food debris.

All Fiber must be dry and free of food debris and other contaminating material.

Tissues, paper towels or other paper that has been in contact with food is not acceptable.